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Chief, Planning and Review Staff

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Chief, Materials Division

Contributions for the DD/I Newsletter for Month of ^{November} October 1956

1. Members of the Food and Agriculture Branch met with the GRR Agricultural Consultants Panel to discuss, among other things, the long-range effect of inputs in the agricultural sector.

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2. [REDACTED] was presented with an award of merit by the Director of Central Intelligence. In the letter of commendation accompanying the award, [REDACTED] was cited as the foremost Western authority on Soviet agriculture.

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3. [REDACTED], Acting Chief, Petroleum Branch, met with members of the GRR Petroleum Consultants Panel in New York for the purpose of obtaining advice relative to the proposed exchange of petroleum delegations with the USSR.

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4. [REDACTED], Chief, Nonferrous Metals and Minerals Branch, participated with [REDACTED], Chief, Economic Research Area, and the Department of State in the preparation of a paper which will be used to reopen discussions on the reimposition of embargo controls on Soviet copper imports.

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